



# SC Annual School Report Card Summary

New Ellenton Middle School  
Aiken

Grades: 6-8

Enrollment: 238

Principal: Elisa Sanders-Pee

Superintendent: Dr. Elizabeth Everitt

Board Chair: Ms. Rosemary B. English

## PERFORMANCE

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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		ESEA/FEDERAL ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM	
			General Performance	Closing the Gap	ESEA Grade	Accountability Indicator
2012	Average	Average	TBD	TBD	A	Reward
2011	Average	Average	Silver	N/A	Met	N/A
2010	Average	Average	N/A	N/A	Met	N/A

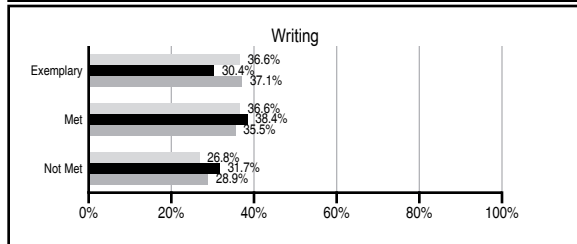
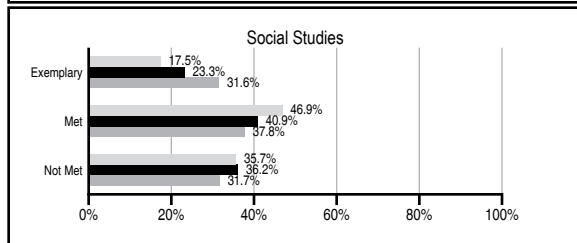
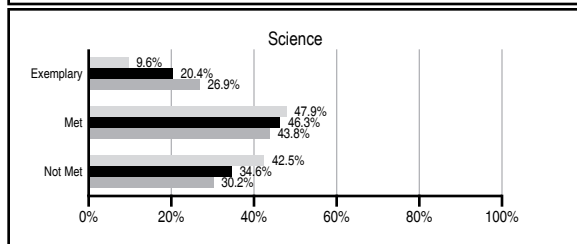
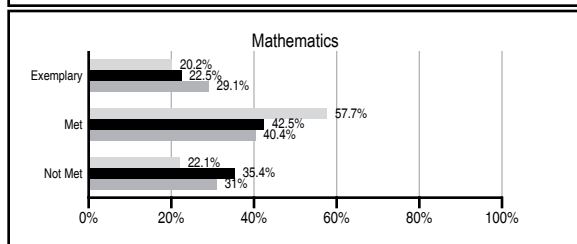
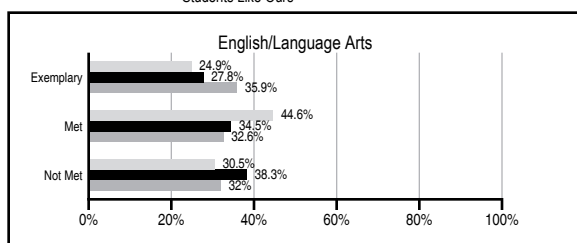
## ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF MIDDLE SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS\*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
0	4	43	6	2

\* Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/07/2012. Schools with Students Like Ours are Middle Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

## PASS PERFORMANCE

Our School Middle Schools with Students Like Ours Middle schools statewide



## NAEP PERFORMANCE\*

\* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.

### READING – GRADE 8 (2011)

South Carolina	28	45	25	2
Nation	25	43	29	3
% Below Basic % Basic, Proficient, and Advanced				
	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced

### MATH – GRADE 8 (2011)

South Carolina	30	38	25	7
Nation	28	39	26	8
% Below Basic % Basic, Proficient, and Advanced				
	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced

### SCIENCE – GRADE 8 (2009)

South Carolina	45	32	22	1
Nation	38	33	28	1
% Below Basic % Basic, Proficient, and Advanced				
	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced

## END OF COURSE TESTS - 2012

% of students scoring 70 or above on:	Our Middle School	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	100.0	95.4
English 1	96.3	91.6
Physical Science	N/A	N/A
US History and the Constitution	N/A	N/A
All Subjects	97.7	95.5

## SC PERFORMANCE VISION

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

### Abbreviations Key

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## SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Middle School
<b>Students (n=238)</b>				
Students enrolled in high school credit courses (grades 7 & 8)	74.5%	Up from 70.2%	20.4%	22.9%
Retention rate	1.3%	Up from 0.4%	0.9%	0.8%
Attendance rate	96.2%	Down from 96.7%	96.0%	96.2%
Served by gifted and talented program	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
With disabilities other than speech	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Older than usual for grade	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.0%	No Change	0.5%	0.5%
Annual dropout rate	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
<b>Teachers (n=14)</b>				
Teachers with advanced degrees	71.4%	Down from 78.6%	60.6%	61.3%
Continuing contract teachers	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Teachers returning from previous year	86.4%	Down from 89.0%	84.4%	86.7%
Teacher attendance rate	94.8%	Down from 96.4%	95.0%	95.2%
Average teacher salary*	\$55,783	Up 4.2%	\$45,676	\$46,422
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	5.3%	Up from 0.0%	1.1%	2.0%
Professional development days/teacher	10.0 days	Down from 11.4 days	10.2 days	10.0 days
<b>School</b>				
Principal's years at school	5.0	Up from 4.0	5.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	38.3 to 1	Up from 25.7 to 1	22.4 to 1	22.0 to 1
Prime instructional time	89.1%	Down from 90.9%	89.4%	90.1%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No Change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	97.9%	Up from 91.1%	98.1%	98.8%
Character development program	Excellent	No Change	Good	Good
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$7,499	Down 20.3%	\$7,268	\$7,245
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	55.4%	Down from 58.8%	62.4%	63.1%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	52.6%	Down from 56.2%	59.7%	60.9%
ESEA composite index score	91.3	N/A	84.4	88.1

\* Length of contract = 185+ days.

\*\* Prior year audited financial data available.

## EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	13	71	33
Percent satisfied with learning environment	100.0%	67.6%	64.5%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	100.0%	64.8%	72.7%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	100.0%	90.0%	68.8%

\*Only students at the highest middle school grade level at this school and their parents were included.

## REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

The mission of New Ellenton Middle School in collaboration with its stakeholders works to ensure that New Ellenton Middle School continues to strive to be a school of academic excellence that fosters achievement among all students. Students at New Ellenton Middle School consistently receive a comprehensive, rigorous academic program in conjunction with extracurricular activities which promoted character development and team building skills. Through the collaborative efforts of our stakeholders including the dedication of teachers and the hard work of our students, New Ellenton Middle School met the NCLB standards of Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP). New Ellenton Middle School continuously seeks initiatives to provide the best educational opportunities for all students. Staff members analyze data to drive decisions on our academic program. New Ellenton Middle School continues to use the Making Middle Grades Work Framework. Students also receive academic assistance through the Accommodations Lab, CAI Lab, tutorial sessions with all content area teachers, and the students had the opportunity to attend Saturday School Academy for additional support.

A few highlights of our year include New Ellenton Middle School receiving the Palmetto Silver Award. We had several teams who placed first and second place in the in the South Carolina Stock Market Competition. Algebra I students had a one hundred percent passing rate on the End of Course Assessment.

New Ellenton Middle School's PTO and SIC continue to work together to support the academic successes of students and recognize other milestones achieved by our students. The PTO financially supports the school's academic and social programs through their fundraiser endeavors. The PTO and SIC also sponsor events and volunteer at many school functions. The School Improvement Council involves parents, community members, and teachers in the planning, monitoring, and evaluating our school program to ensure continuous improvement.

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Karen Bartlett, School Improvement Council Chairperson

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